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Review of Soviet Portion of Proposed Sample of Motors and Generators
for [REDACTED] Machinery Ratio-Dollar Ratio Study 25X1A5a1

REF : Your Memorandum of 14 August 1958

1. The proposed [REDACTED] sample seems sufficiently large to 25X1A5a1
represent the universe of Soviet electric motors. No important
items appear to be missing from the sample.

2. Specifications given in the [REDACTED] tables appear adequate 25X1A5a1
for identification of comparable US models. Only one suggestion
is offered here: US practice identifies electric motors by
horsepower rather than kilowatts; to facilitate the task of
the US manufacturer, the kilowatt-rating ought to be converted
to horsepower, using the conversion factor one kilowatt equals
1.341 horsepower.

3. At this time no US models are known to be directly
comparable with Soviet models.

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